

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/839,289

Applicant(s)

David B. Fick et al

Examiner

Sudhaker Patel

Art Unit

1624



All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Sudhaker Patel(3) Mr. Louis Cullman

(2) _____

(4) _____

Date of Interview Oct 17, 2002Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conferencec) ☐ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:Claim(s) discussed: Claims of the application

Identification of prior art discussed:

NoneAgreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:


Examiner initiated the discussion. Applicants were informed about the first Office Action on merits sent to them wide paper # 5 dated 3/13/02. Applicants pointed out that due to change in address and also change of attorney, their file is not updated. Examiner suggested that a copy of the earlier Office Action paper # 5 will be sent to them to update their files.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.


Examiner's signature, if required